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[FROM OUR GALLE SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

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M. Thiers is at Cherbourg.
The French Government has been removed
to Bordeaux.
Phalsbourg, Montmedy, and Belfort have
surrendered.

At Boniges, a three days' engagement took place between the Duke of Mecklenburg and General Chansey, the latter being heavily reinforced from Tours, but was defeated.

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General Paladine was nearly surrounded. Vandertann and 20,000 Bavarians captured Orleans; after the capture there was a few night of silence and mystery; when the outposts of Keratry's Bretons, 7000 strong, occupied Dreux, and great alarm was created at Versailles, the Germans thinking it was

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The relations between Prussia and Austria have improved.

AUSTRIA.

The Ministry have resigned, and a long-continued ministerial crisis occurred. The King has been ill.

AMERICA.

The Congressional elections resulted in an increase of democrats; the majority of the republican vote was reduced from 93 to 50.

Hoffman, a democrat, has been re-elected Mayor of New York.

Massachusetts elected a republican governor; the negroes generally voted; two were killed at New Orleans during the disturbances there.

The schooner *Friend* was captured near Charleston by a British cruiser for a violation of the fishery laws; this will make a fresh grievance.

General Butler made two irritating speeches against England, and attacked the fisheries regulations; he opposed the renewal of the reciprocity treaty, and said it was the duty of the Republican Government to secure a settlement of the Alabama question.

Some private holders of claims to the extent of thirteen million dollars are anxious to get settlement direct from the British Government, and are willing to meet their views if the American Government would consent; the latter refused.

Seven shocks of earthquake took place at New York on the 29th November.

Gold closed at 111½. Petroleum: Standard white, 22½ cents.

INDIA AND THE EAST.

GALLE, DECEMBER 29.

The Mongolia, with the English mail, was late.

The Indo-European telegraph lines and cables are working badly, and messages are delayed.

The cable is working successfully between Penang, Singapore, and Batavia. It is expected that it will be open to Madras in a few days.

The Shanghai and Hongkong cable is being re-laid.

There have been numbers of arrivals of passenger steamers for India via the Canal.

The opening of a channel between India and Ceylon is referred to members of the Imperial Parliament.

The Ceylon Government are considering a proposal for harbour docks at Colombo.

Chang How, Chinese Plenipotentiary, passed through on 23rd instant, with suite.

A number of Chinese and Japanese are going to Europe for education.

The Germans, expelled from Saigon, are in expectation that that colony will be transferred with peace.

Serious disturbances occurred in Java.

The Countess Mayo has arrived at Calcutta.

Guicowar, chief of Daroda, and Rajah of Kalapore, is dead.

The telegraph to Burmah will be laid soon.

The Bombay and Madras railway is completed, except the bridges. It will be quite ready by February.

The rice and grain crops are good.

311 persons were killed in the Madras presidency last year by tigers.

Great disturbances among native chiefs are reported in Arabia, China, and Japan.

The French Minister has accepted an indemnity of money for massacre. The situation is not improved.

Mr. Seward was properly received at Peking.

Several mutinies have broken out in Coolie ships.

COLOMBO, 27TH DECEMBER.

Exchange on London, 1 and 10 3/4. Australian sovereigns, 10 rupees 8.

Freights high.

First-class ships wanted.

Business dull.

SINGAPORE, 20TH DECEMBER.

Private bills, Australian, 60 days, 4 and 6 per cent. Freights to London, £2. Coals, Australian, 7 dollars; no transactions. Australian sovereigns, 4 to 6. Coffee, 6½d. to 7½d. per lb.

BATAVIA, 14TH DECEMBER.

Large stock of coals, Australian, 13 to 14 florins. Freights low, Australian sovereigns, 13.40. Exchange on London, 11.85 florins.

MANILA, 5TH DECEMBER.

Australian coals, 6.75; no transactions. Australian sovereigns, 4 and 1. No demand for tonnage.

HONGKONG, 13TH DECEMBER.

Freights to London, £2. Exchange, 4 and 4½. Sydney coals, 8 to 8½; the demand is fair, and rates are well maintained. 800 tons sold of 1280 arrived, at 8 dollars ex ship. Australian sovereigns, 4.58. Sandalwood, Sydney, 2-60 to 3-50.

ARRIVED.—Albion's Isle, Envoy, James Stone, and Rolling Wave.

FOO CHOW, 5TH DECEMBER.

Exchange on London, 4 and 5. Prices of tea higher. Loading for Melbourne: Matador, Penn, Eli, and Loch Naw.

Total exports of tea to Australia, 8th, 10,000,000 lbs., against 10,600,000 same period last year.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, DECEMBER 25.

The first meeting of the Conference on the Eastern question will be held on the 3rd January. No difficulties are anticipated to arise. The French victory is declared a defeat by the Germans.

Tours is not occupied by the Germans, notwithstanding the demand of the Mayor for a Prussian garrison; and in accordance with instructions they retired into cantonments, after destroying the railway.

German despatches announce the defeat on Friday last of General Faidherbe's army of 60,000 strong by General Mantouffil. The pursuit of the French was only interrupted by nightfall.

COMMERCIAL.

Clearances for Australia continue below the average, but long delayed drapery shipments now influence the value of exports. The gross total for the month is £302,000, against £602,000 for previous month. The increase is principally made up by soft goods. Last year, at the same period, the exports were valued at £12,130,000.

Details of Exports: To Sydney, £282,000; increase, £9500. To Victoria, £375,800; increase, £155,200. To Adelaide, £68,000; increase, £26,500. To Queensland, a decrease of £35,500. To Swan River, an increase of £7600. To Tasmania, an increase of £5100. To New Zealand, an increase of £64,300.

EXPORTS.

The principal exports to Melbourne are: bar and red iron, 387 tons; hoop iron, 38 tons; plate iron, 34 tons; pig iron, 500 tons; sheet iron, 10½; galvanized iron, 265 tons; wire and rope, 168 tons; linseed oil, 11,166 gallons; rape oil, 3927 gallons; olive oil, 655 gallons; woolpacks, 240; cornsacks, 3823; gunpowder, 1580 cwt.; tobacco, 17138 lbs.; brandy, 37,837 gallons; rum, 2667 gallons; red wine, 9865 gallons; white wine, 8162 gallons; beer (bulk), 350 barrels; beer (glass), 1031 barrels; white salt, 375 tons; candles (British), 564 cwt.; currants, 1316 cwt.; cheese, 222 cwt.; bacon and ham, 168 cwt.; malt, 314 quarters; hops, 1481 cwt.; fish (salt), 3307½.

The principal exports to Sydney are: Bar and red iron, 122 tons; hoop iron, 1 ton; plate iron, 5 tons; pig iron, 125 tons; sheet iron, 5 tons; galvanized iron, 129 tons; wire and rope, 81 tons; linseed oil, 6030 gallons; rape oil, 500 gallons; olive oil, 240 gallons; woolpacks, 2319; cornsacks, 12554; gunpowder, 190 cwt.; tobacco, 75,880 lbs.; brandy, 18,132 gallons; rum, 11,941 gallons; red wine, 6801 gallons; white wine, 4619 gallons; beer, bulk, 312,85 barrels; beer, glass, 499 barrels; white salt, 717 tons; candles, 859 cwt.; currants, 377 cwt.; cheese, 100 cwt.; bacon and hams, 45 cwt.; malt, 32 quarters; hops, 45 cwt.; fish, salt, 11162.

Stables' Supplementary Circular shows five clearances for Melbourne, four for Sydney, and two each for Queensland, Adelaide, and Otago.

AMERICAN EXPORTS.—To Dunedin and Sydney: tobacco, 50 boxes; kerosene oil, 500 cases. For Adelaide: 10,600 cases kerosene.

Loading: Two vessels at New York and one at Boston for Melbourne; one at New York for Sydney.

WOOL.

The sales closed firmly on the 29th November, at prices averaging 1d. advance on the opening rates. 170,000 bales were catalogued, of which 50,000 were left over for next sales, which are to open on the 2nd of February.

Great satisfaction is felt at the result of the sales. The wool sold was chiefly absorbed by home manufacturers, who are doing an increasing trade with America, at improved prices.

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MONETARY.

Victorian sixes, January-July, 115½; ditto, April-October, 111½; New South Wales five, 1871-73, January-July, 102; ditto five, 1888-1895, January-July, 102½; New Zealand five, 1891-98; ditto sixes, 1891, March-September, 107; Queensland sixes, January-July, 107½; South Australian Government securities, short dates, 111; ditto, long dates, 108; Hobson's Bay Railway, 53; ditto bonds, 1880, sixes, 104; Tasmanian sixes, 108.

Consols fell during a panic, occasioned by the appearance of the Russian note, to 91½, and all descriptions of stock became depreciated. Australian securities are only slightly affected. A rapid recovery is now taking place in view of the conference next month, and the expectation of the speedy surrender of Paris.

Consols, 93½.

Money abundant, discount rates low.

The South Australian loan was a failure at first, as a new German war loan of eight millions was anticipated.

The Thornhill Reef Gold Mining Company announced as capital £20,000 worth of auriferous land in Victoria.

Dividends: Trust, and Agency of Australasia, 10; Otago and Southland Investment, 10; Scottish Australasian Investment, nil.

Mercantile failures: numerous. Edmond Thompson pays only 1s. 6d. in the £. Guild and Chapman's estate is bad, a deficiency of £20,000 to be accounted for; explanatory accounts are required by the Registrar.

October trade returns are satisfactory. Bank discount, 2½ per cent.

PRODUCE MARKET.

The Iron and Corn trades are recovering from recent disturbances.

Tallow has fluctuated to the extent of 2s. 6d. per cwt. A large business done. Australian at good prices.

COCOA BUTTER.—Sydney dull, at £32 to £36.

HIDES inactive, at a further decline. Stock, 16,200 hides.

AUSTRALIAN LEATHER continues to sell briskly; 22,682 sides were offered at public sales, and all cleared at a farthing advance.

BARK is steady in demand.

HORNS remain the same, no sales have occurred.

SHANKBONES in demand, at full prices.

PETROLEUM steady, 1s. 6½d. to 1s. 7½d.

COPPER dull, £69 to £71; considerable quantities were sold at £70.

SPERM OIL, £79; South Sea whale, £36.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Dilhrie, Highflyer, Western Australia, Decapoli, and River Ganges.

DEPARTURES.

FOR SYDNEY.—Bruckley Castle, Cornwallis, Strathnaver, Strathdon.

FOR MELBOURNE.—Loch Earn, Asia, Malena, Suffolk, Queen of the Thames (s.), Norfolk, and Thomas Stowe.

FOR ADELAIDE.—Western Australia.

FOR LAUNCESTON.—Bereau.

LOADING.

For Sydney 14, Melbourne 27, South Australia 6, Brisbane 6, Launceston 2, Hobart Town 2, Swan River 3, Queensland 7.

MERCANTILE AND MONEY ARTICLE.

THE CUSTOMS revenue received to-day was as follows:

Wine	...	...
Whisky	...	...
Rum	...	...
Portwine	...	...
Brandy	...	...
Alcohol	...	...
Beer	...	...
Cider	...	...
Tea	...	...
Coffee	...	...
Sugar	...	...
Spices	...	...
Pepper	...	...
Vanilla	...	...
Essence	...	...
Perfumes	...	...
Soap	...	...
Candles	...	...
Oil	...	...
Butter	...	...
Cheese	...	...
Meat	...	...
Fish	...	...
Vegetables	...	...
Fruit	...	...
Grains	...	...
Wool	...	...
Iron	...	...
Steel	...	...
Copper	...	...
Lead	...	...
Zinc	...	...
Gold	...	...
Silver	...	...
Platinum
Palladium
Iridium
Rhodium
Osmium
Selenium
Tellurium
Bismuth
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Mercury
Cadmium
Strontium
Barium
Calcium
Sodium
Potassium
Lithium
Ammonium
Magnesium	...	...
Aluminum	...	...
Silicon	...	...
Germanium	...	...
Vanadium	...	...
Chromium	...	...
Manganese	...	...
Nickel	...	...
Cobalt	...	...
Iron	...	...
Steel	...	...
Copper	...	...
Lead	...	...
Zinc	...	...
Silver	...	...
Gold	...	...

The Ellen Morris, from Foochow, brings 262,597 lbs. tea; and the Mary and Edith, from Manila, 9535 piculs sugar, 50 cases cigars.

The Maid of Judah has cleared for London with 1705 bales wool, 10 bales cotton, 3400 quarter-sacks flour, 242 casks tallow, 446 cases preserved meat, 17 bales leather, 171 casks butter.

By the arrival of the branch mail steamer at Adelaide, we have English news to the 25th ultimo, of a very satisfactory character. Our commercial summary of December 2nd states that the wool sales closed firmly on November 29, at prices averaging 1d. advance on the opening rates, and the latest reports state the market firm at closing prices. Out of 170,000 bales catalogued, 50,000 were left over to next sales, which open on February 2. Great satisfaction was felt at the result, as the wools sold were chiefly taken by home manufacturers, who are increasing their trade with America; 30,000 bales were bought on foreign account. Tallow has fluctuated to the extent of 2s. 6d. per cwt., with large sales of Australian at good prices. Sydney coconut oil dull at £32 to £36. Hides inactive at a decline of a farthing. Australian leather selling briskly; 22,682 sides sold by auction at a farthing higher. Minima bark in steady demand. Horns unaltered. Shankbones in request at full prices. Sperm oil, £79; South Sea whale, £36. Considerable sales of copper at £70 10s.

Anticipations of the speedy surrender of Paris, and the arrangements respecting a conference on the Eastern question, had a reviving effect upon the money market, which by last mail was reported as suffering from a panic occasioned by the attitude of Russia. Consols went up to 93½; later news quotes 91½ ex div. Discount, 2½. The latest quotations for colonial securities were:—Victorian debentures, 112; New South Wales, 102 to 103; Adelaide, 109 to 111; Queensland, 107½; Tasmanian, 110; New Zealand, 100.

The following dividends are announced:—Trust and Agency of Australasia, 10 per cent.; Otago and Southland Investment Co., 10 per cent.; London Chartered Bank, 8 per cent. A special telegram, dated December 22, says: "The Adelaide loan has been all placed—£15,000 at the minimum, and the residue slightly below 108. Wool is active at late prices. Copper is firmer. Tallow has improved." Private advices received by mail state that on the same date quotations for wheat had advanced to 58s. per quarter.

The usual revenue statements for the quarter and year ending 31st December, were published this evening as a supplement to the *Government Gazette*. The total receipts on account of revenue proper during the past quarter amounted to £671,205 10s. 3d., or £72,078 17s. 8d. less than those of corresponding portion of 1869. This result is due in a marked degree to a serious falling-off in the land revenue, almost every item of which exhibits a decrease, amounting in all to £60,503, while the whole of the increases are only £286.

The principal falling-off is in rent of runs designated as second-class, which have decreased £32,041. Land sales have yielded £19,653 less than in the December quarter of 1869. The other sources of revenue—Gold and Mint—added to the decrease are:—Gold and Mint receipts, £2401; Customs, £2037; stamps, £653; telegraph receipts, £1443; pilotage rates, tonnage dues, &c., £1981; miscellaneous receipts, £10,502. Under the head of special receipts there appears a decrease of £24,938, arising chiefly on account of trust moneys and deposits.

Money orders show an improvement of £2200; and the Church and School lands fund of £1431. The disbursements during the quarter amounted to £472,266; of this, £436,727 was departmental, £35,307 for special appropriations, £2195 advanced in anticipation of main Western Road vote for 1871, and £234 on account of the Imperial and Victorian Governments. £194,076 was expended from Loans Account, and £49,873 from special accounts.

The decreases just referred to exercise an important effect upon the accounts for the past year, and help to swell the total deficit to £148,353; of this sum £100,272 comes under the head of revenue proper and £24,360 under special receipts. The Customs yielded £285,815, an increase of nearly £15,000, which includes £11,666 received on account of "new and measurement duties."

The receipts under the Border Customs treaty were £21,021 in excess of previous year; sugar and molasses gave an increased revenue of £12,055, and opium of £1360. Tobacco, cigars, and malt show an improvement of £1200. Some of the decreases in this department are large; in ad valorem duty alone there is a decline of £21,754; in liquors, of £8366, together with smaller amounts in tea, coffee, rice, dried fruits, and hops. On refined sugar and molasses there is a falling-off of £165; in colonial distilled spirits, £5653; and in gold and Mint receipts, £6942.

The land revenue shows a total decrease of £105,964. This is accounted for by land sales yielding £70,289 less, and rent and assessment of runs adding a further amount of £24,389.

The only branch of this department giving any important increase is that dealing with conditional purchasers, who have paid £5697 more than in 1869. The balance is also on the wrong side in brands' registration fees to the extent of £409; in necropolis fees, £1248; postage, £2915; fees of office, £3805; rents, exclusive of land, £613; stamps, £2218; telegraphs, £1560; pilotage, harbour, and tonnage dues, £2749; and miscellaneous receipts, £16,713. The increases are contributions under Sheep and Cattle Disease Acts, £3913; commission on money orders, £75; licenses, £180; fines and forfeitures, £462; and railways, £30,702. Special receipts appear amongst the decreases to the extent of £48,086. The total revenue proper for the year was £2,102,697; the total expenditure, including special appropriations, £2,151,210. Under the head of other payments are debentures redeemed to the amount of £103,300. Treasury bills paid off, £243,200. Of the latter £339,943 was met by the sale of a new issue under authority of 32 Vic. No. 14. The advance on account of main Western Road before noted, and small advances on account of other Governments, bring the total disbursements to £2,602,979 14s. 11d., irrespective of £711,879 expended for loans' services, and £209,773 for special account.

The associated wool auctioneers have decided upon postponing their weekly sales until Tuesday next.

We quote the following from the Melbourne *Argus* of Friday:—

A moderate amount of business continues to be done in the import market, and a healthier tone is felt generally. In breadstuffs great activity is experienced, and it is said that country millers are likewise forced to demand more money in consequence of the very light stocks held. Here we note a fall of 4½d. to 4½d. per bushel, or 1s. 10d. per cwt. to 1s. 10d. per cwt. There is still very little offering in the market, and the price is held steady. Wheat is very much wanted, and prime samples of Adelaide would now bring 10s. to 10s. 6d. per cwt. One thousand bags have arrived by the steamer from South Australia; but we understand the whole had been previously sold to suit at quite equal to current prices. Oats are extremely firm, and considerable sales are effected at very high prices. We learn of the sale of one 11½d. per bushel for ordinary to 1s. 6d. per bushel, or 1s. 6d. per cwt. for prime. The market is held steady, and the price is 11½d. per bushel. 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AUCTION SALES.

FORE-AND-REAR SCHONER COMET.
A handy vessel, of 40 tons burthen, now in excellent order and condition.
R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on **THURSDAY, January 19, at 11 o'clock.**
The fast sailing schooner Comet, just undergone a thorough overhaul within the last five months. Is ready for sea, being well found in every requisite. Full particulars at sale.
Terms, liberal.
Brigantine VALERUS.
On account of whom it may concern.
Together with Cargo of Pine.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on **THURSDAY, January 19, at 11 o'clock.**
The schooner Valrus, of 90 tons register, wrecked on the north spit Richmond River Heads, together with standing and running rigging, spars, masts, yards, anchors, chains, &c., &c.
Also,
Cargo of square pine, upwards of 50,000 feet.
Particulars at sale.
Terms, cash.

THURSDAY, 19th instant.
Boats and Shoes. Boots and Shoes.
Just landed in splendid order ex Sobran.
To the Trade, Merchants, Shippers, Country Buyers, and others.

MR. M. MOLONY is favoured with instructions from the importers to sell by auction, in his Rooms, 239, George-street North, next the Bank of Australia, on **THURSDAY, the 19th instant, at 11 o'clock.**
An invoice of new and seasonable goods, just landed in first-rate condition ex Sobran, comprising most lines required by the trade.
Ladies' Gowns, Girls' and Children's Boots and shoes, Empty shoe trunks, in lot to suit purchasers. Terms, liberal at sale.
Time—11 o'clock prompt.
The auctioneer has been instructed positively to sell every line put up. Without reserve.

THIS DAY, January 18, at 11 o'clock.
Unredeemed Pledges.

MR. H. D. COCKBURN has been instructed by Mr. William Moss, pawnbroker, Parramatta and Botany streets, to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 239, George-street North, next the Bank of Australia, on **THURSDAY, the 19th instant, at 11 o'clock.**
The whole of the undredeemed pledges, as advertised in full in last week's HERALD, comprising clothing, blankets, shawls, boots, pistols, guns, watches, leeches, rings, jewelry, &c., &c.
Terms, cash.

THIS DAY, 18th January, at 10 o'clock.
On the Premises, 64, York-street, Old Building Materials, Doors, Bricks, Flooring Boards, &c.

MR. H. D. COCKBURN has been instructed to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 239, George-street North, next the Bank of Australia, on **THURSDAY, 19th January, at 11 o'clock.**

On the Premises of the Captain Cook, York-street.

Licence, Bar Fixtures, Beer-engine, Spirit Kegs, Counter, Glass, Decanters, Pewter Measures, Pier Glasses, Telephone, Dining-table, Piano-forte, by Wilkinson; Bookcases, Chest of Drawers, Loo Table, Carpet, Pictures, Chairs, Tables, Bedsteads, Bedding, Ornaments, China, Glassware, Kitchen Requisites, &c., &c.

MR. H. D. COCKBURN has been instructed by Mrs. Bullivant to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 239, George-street North, next the Bank of Australia, on **THURSDAY, 19th January, at 11 o'clock.**

The above snug hotel. Terms, cash. Clearing-out Sale.

FRIDAY, 20th January, at 2 o'clock.
At the Produce Stores, opposite the Victoria Wharf, off Brinkman-street.

Horse, Spring Cart, "Butter Plait," Harness, Empty Kegs, Weighing Machine, Bags, Dues, and quantity of sundries.

MR. H. D. COCKBURN has been instructed to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 239, George-street North, next the Bank of Australia, on **THURSDAY, 19th January, at 11 o'clock.**

Building Materials.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, **THIS DAY, the 18th instant, at 12 o'clock.** at the building formerly known as the Captain Cook Hotel, situated corner Bent and Spring streets.

Building materials of old premises, consisting of bricks, stone, timber, flooring, doors, sashes, &c., &c.
New Goods, just landed, ex Sobran, and other late arrivals.

To Warehousemen, Drapers, Country Storekeepers, Quilting, and others.

WILLIAM PRICE and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 239, George-street North, next the Bank of Australia, on **THURSDAY, 19th instant, at half-past 10 o'clock.**

Sixty-five packages, consisting of:
Super calico, 30, 32, 34, and 36 inch.
Ditto, 38, 40, and 42.
Super white longcloths.
Imitation Welsh flannels.
Anti-rheumatic and Saxony ditty.
White ground and fancy brilliant prints.
Plain and fancy gumbrins.
Fancy dress materials.
Brown broughs, various qualities, approved makers.
Gents' Fr. felt hats, wire brims.
Boys' and youths' ditty, trimmed, fancy.
Men's, boys', and youths' black cloth hats.
Gents' black and fancy tweed galas jackets.
Boys' and youths' ditty ditty.
Men's fancy crinoid ditty.
Boys' and youths' ditty ditty.
Men's super white shirts, bands and collars, &c., &c.
Terms at sale.

General Drapery, Shirts, Hats and Caps, Hosiery, &c., &c.

In the Assigned Estate of Abraham Friedman.

WILLIAM PRICE and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 239, George-street North, next the Bank of Australia, on **THURSDAY, 19th instant, at half-past 10 o'clock.**

The whole of the stock, consisting of:
Men's black and fancy dress suits.
Men's blue vesture and diagonal ditty.
Men's black cloth trousers and vests.
Men's fancy ditty and tweed ditty.
Crinoid and white shirts.
Men's maccery.
Men's hosiery.
Hats and caps.
Braces, belts, ties, &c., &c.
And
The usual assortment of goods in a first-class outfitting stock.
Terms at sale.

Boys' Brown.
Gents' French Felt Hats, wire brims.
Boys' and Youths' Trimmed ditty.
Ex Sobran, just landed.

WILLIAM PRICE and CO. will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 239, George-street North, next the Bank of Australia, on **THURSDAY, 19th instant, at half-past 10 o'clock.**

Three cases rough hats, approved makers.
One case French felt hats, wire brims.
Ditto boys' and youths' ditty, trimmed, ditty.
Terms at sale.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Sale Rooms, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, at 11 o'clock.

100 rolls of white and checked matting.
Terms at sale.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by public auction, at their Sale Rooms, Pitt-street, on **FRIDAY, at 11 a.m.**

2 cases fine French felt hats, assorted.
Terms at sale.

To Warehousemen, Drapers, and others.

DRAPERY.
Clothing, Hats, &c.
Now landed ex Sobran.

DAYS OF SALE, THURSDAY and FRIDAY, next, 19th and 20th instant, commencing at 11 a.m. each day.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are favoured with instructions to sell by public auction, at their Sale Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, on **THURSDAY and FRIDAY, next, at their Sale Rooms, 167, Pitt-street.**

A large assortment of useful goods, comprising:
Grey shagwags and cosmetics.
White linen and cotton shagwags.
Longcloths.
Rough and dressed holland.
Prints and ginghams.
Fancy dress materials.
Alpaca, muslin, &c.
Cousings, rags.
Light fancy tweeds.
Black union cloth.
Black does.
Gents' superior clothing.
Boys' ditty.
Mile trousers, men's, boys', and youths'.
White and regatta shirts.
Crinoid and venetian ditty.
Hosiery, maccery, &c.
Terms at sale.

On **THURSDAY, January 19th, at 11 o'clock.**
At the Australian Auction Rooms, O'Connell-street.

Important Unredeemed Sale by Auction of Choice Breakfast Congou.

By Mr. J. S. Sadler, from Foo Chow.

On account of whom it may concern.

Damaged by sea water.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from Messrs. McDonald, Smith, and Co., to sell by auction, at their Rooms, O'Connell-street, on **THURSDAY, January 19th, at 11 o'clock.**

The damaged portion of the cargo of fine teas ex Johanna Maria.

Consisting of—
181 chests.
105 half-chests.
40 boxes.
Particulars of which will be published.
Terms, cash.

On **THURSDAY, January 19, at 3 o'clock.**
At the Argyle Stores.

Highly Important Unredeemed Sale by Auction of 100 Hogsheads Java's Celebrated Ale, in magnificent condition, ex Cape Clear.

41 Hogsheads, ditto.
ex Ann Roydon.

Under instructions from the Agents, Messrs. Larimer, Marwood, and Sons.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at the Argyle Stores, on **THURSDAY, January 19, at 3 o'clock.**

145 Hogsheads Java's celebrated stone ale, in lots suitable to the trade.

Terms, liberal.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
ON AN EARLY DAY.

At the Australian Auction Rooms, Pitt-street.

Ex Carlisle Castle.
14 CASES ENAMELLED SLATE MANTELPICES.

Under instructions from Messrs. Young and Lark.

To Builders, Marble Masons, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from Messrs. Young and Lark to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on **an early day.**

Ex Carlisle Castle.
14 cases enamelled slate mantelpieces.

Particulars in future advertisements.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
ON AN EARLY DAY.

On the Premises, No. 87, York-street.

THE WHOLE OF THE EXTENSIVE STOCK-IN-TRADE.

TYPE PRINTING MATERIALS.
ALBION PRESSES.
IRON SAFE.
CRAB WINCH and CHAIN.
OFFICE FITTINGS, &c., &c., &c.

To Newspaper Proprietors, Printers, Dealers, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from Messrs. Sharwood and Co. (who are retiring from business) to sell by auction, on the Premises, No. 87, York-street, on **an early day.**

The whole of the stock of type, printing materials, presses, office fittings, &c., &c., &c.

Catalogues will be duly issued.

For Positive Sale.

On account and risk of the shippers.

THIS DAY, Wednesday, January 18th.

2 Cases, each 150 pairs, Men's Gumbrins Trousers.

1 Case Men's and Boys' Alpaca Vests.

1 Case Men's Dark Blue Trousers.

1 Case Men's, Boys', and Youths' Tweed Suits.

1 Case Men's Fancy Tweed Trousers.

6 Cases ready-made clothing, as above.

Just landed ex Helen Stuart.

Fancy Summer Tweed Trousers.

For Positive Sale.

Wynyard-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock prompt.

BR in triangle, ex Parramatta.

467-2 cases, each 100 pairs, men's fancy summer tweed trousers.

For Positive Sale. Terms, liberal.

CONTINUATION SALE OF THE STOCK-IN-TRADE OF A GENERAL DRAPER, CLOTHIER, &c.

Removed to the Rooms for convenience of Sale.

THIS DAY, Wednesday, January 18.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE has been instructed by Mr. J. S. Sadler to sell by auction, at his Rooms, Wynyard-street, **THIS DAY, at half-past 10 o'clock.**

The balance of the stock-in-trade of General Drapery, fashions.

THIS DAY, 18th January.

IMPORTANT and VALUABLE SALE.

SUBURBAN ESTATE, and WAREHOUSE PROPERTIES, by public auction, at Mr. J. S. Sadler's Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock.

THIS DAY, 18th January.

MOUNT LACHLAN.
Elizabell-street.

The residue of 99 years' lease of 4 cottages, built of brick, occupying an allotment having 50 feet frontage, beyond the Albert-street, near Backland-street.

WOOLLAHRA—Piper-street.

The residue of 99 years' lease of 6 cottages, built of brick, occupying an allotment having 50 feet frontage, subject only to a ground rent of 50 per annum, with a detached cottage residence, containing 6 rooms, with garden, nearly opposite Rovers House.

WATERVIEW DRY DOCK.—Market-street.

That really choice corner block of land, situated at the corner of Market and Hyde-street, subdivided into 10 lots, each having a frontage of 33 feet.

HAYNES, TREEVE, and CO.

CLEARING SALE.

GREAT LAND SALE.
NEW TOWN.

34 BUILDING ALLOTMENTS, fronting ESKRINEVILLE ROAD.

ALBERT-STREET, SEPTIMUS-STREET, MALCOLM-STREET, and the RAILWAY LINE.

TITLE, LAND TITLES ACT. Terms—Half purchase-money may remain three years at 6 per cent. per annum.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at Mr. J. S. Sadler's Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on **WEDNESDAY, 20th January.**

That magnificent block of freehold property, containing nearly 7 ACRES of LAND, situated at NEW TOWN, and subdivided into 34 CHOICE BUILDING SITES, as follows:—

LOTS 5 to 11 front the ESKRINEVILLE ROAD, and have frontages of about 55 feet each, by depths of nearly 200 feet.

LOTS 17 to 26 front Septimus-street, and have frontages of 40 feet each, by depths of over 100 feet to the Bunnis Estate.

LOTS 27 to 36 front Albert-street, and have frontages of 50 feet each, by depths of over 100 feet to the railway line.

LOTS 37 to 41 front Albert-street, and have frontages of about 50 feet each.

LOTS 42 to 44 front Septimus-street, and have frontages of about 50 feet each.

In offering this fine property to the public, the proprietor has taken great care in the subdivision to provide accommodation to meet the requirements of all classes. The position of the land is excellent, commanding extensive and beautiful scenery; and prior to the day of sale the public are invited to inspect the allotments, which are pegged out, so that they may secure the actual site desired.

Plan on view at Mr. J. S. Sadler's Rooms.

ROSE HILL ESTATE.
PARRAMATTA RIVER, opposite Newington.

For Positive Sale.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the proprietor, WILLIAM PAYTEN, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on **FRIDAY, 20th January, at 11 o'clock.**

THE ROSE HILL FARM ESTATE, having large frontage to the Parramatta River, with stone wharf, and containing 145 acres 2 rods 4 perches of land, subdivided into:

ORANGERY, containing about 50 acres.

ORCHARD, ditto, ditto 8 ditto.

PADDOCKS, ditto ditto 8 ditto.

THE ORANGERY contains upwards of 1200 trees, a very large proportion being of fine quality, and nearly the whole of them are in full bearing.

THE ORCHARD is well stocked with apple, pear, and stone fruit trees, all in good order.

THE PADDOCKS are well grassed and watered, and could be carried a considerable number of dairy cattle all the year round.

The improvements comprise commodious VERANDAH COTTAGE, built of stone and brick, containing hall, 10 feet by 18; drawing and dining rooms, 18 x 16 each; and six other comfortable rooms; large kitchen, stone-roofed, laundry, stable for four stalls; shed, about 80 feet long, covering coach-house, workshop, and other out-buildings; the water supply has never been known to fail, and the best medical improvements are surrounded by well arranged gardens and shrubbery.

Rose Hill Farm is distant about three miles from Parramatta by the River Road, and about five miles from the river. The river steamers pass it nearly every hour of the day.

The above estate is in capital order, and can be well recommended as an investment. The residence is fit for a gentleman's family, and the profits from the orangery and orchard amount to a considerable figure. There is also ample room for carrying on dairying operations.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

Terms, liberal.

CAMPBELLTOWN.

By order of the Mortgagee.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the mortgagee to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on **FRIDAY, 20th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock.**

All that piece or parcel of land, situated in the parish of St. Peter, on Bowing Creek, near the town of Campbelltown, bounded on the north-west by a road 50 links wide, dividing it from J. Hudson's 50 acres, being a line of 50 links, commencing at a marked post on the banks of Bowing Creek, and on the south-east by that creek to the aforementioned marked post.

Reserving a road from the north-west boundary, extending south-east about 1/2 chain, and then north-east about 1/2 chain to the crossing-place.

This is a well-known piece of land, a short distance from the Campbelltown Railway Station. It will be absolutely sold by order of the mortgagee.

Titles unquestionable. Full particulars can be ascertained on application to W. W. Bilyard, Esq., solicitor, Hunter-street.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

UNRESERVED SALE to the Highest Bidder.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

RECENTLY-ERECTED TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE, fronting the OLD SOUTH HEAD ROAD, a few feet east of NELSON-STREET, and containing 6 rooms, with a large verandah, and a detached COTTAGE, NELSON-STREET, near the corner of the OLD SOUTH HEAD ROAD, abutting on the above.

In One or Two Lots.

TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE.

Full particulars of which may be obtained on application to W. W. Bilyard, Esq., Solicitor, Hunter-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on **FRIDAY, 20th April, at 11 o'clock.**

LOT 1.—ALL THAT BLOCK OF LAND, having 88 feet frontage to the north side of the OLD SOUTH HEAD ROAD, UPPEPADDINGTON, with a depth of about 99 feet, and bounded on the north and east by a reserved road leading to WALLIS-STREET, on which, and fronting the South Head Road, is erected a WELL-FINISHED TWO-STORY WILLING-HOUSE, built of brick, on a stone foundation, slated roof, and containing 6 rooms and kitchen, with large yard, well of good water.

The greater portion of the frontage is still vacant, and available for building purposes.

FRIDAY, 20th January.

FOREST LODGE.
BRIDGE ROAD, ROSS-STREET, GLEBE.

Including Family Residence, with Grounds, known as a number of favourably situated BUILDING and VILLA SITES, opposite the residence of Charles York, Esq.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on **FRIDAY, 20th January, at 11 o'clock.**

LOT 1.—FOREST LODGE, a substantially-built commodious cottage residence, containing wide verandah, drawing and dining rooms, 6 bedrooms, kitchen, laundry, &c. The grounds have a frontage of 1120 feet to the Bridge Road, with a depth of 187 feet. They are planted and laid out as lawns and gardens, with large yard, &c., at the rear.

LOTS 2 and 3.—Two Villa Sites, each 40 feet to the Bridge Road, with a depth of 187 feet.

LOTS 4 to 7.—4 ALLOTMENTS, each 20 feet frontage to the Bridge Road, with a depth of 100 feet, extending to a lane: one of these is a corner lot, having also a frontage of 100 feet to Ross-street.

LOTS 8 to 11.—4 ALLOTMENTS, each 19 feet frontage to Ross-street, with a depth of 90 feet to a back lane.

The above occupy the choicest positions on the Glebe. The villa sites are planted and covered with fine matured ornamental trees and shrubs.

TITLE.—TORRENS'S ACT.

Plan at the Rooms.

UNSTOCKED BUNS.

By order of the Government of New South Wales.

Day of Sale MONDAY, 23rd January, 1871.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Hon. JOHN BOWNE WILSON, Minister for Lands, to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on **MONDAY, 23rd January, 1871, at half-past 11 o'clock.**

NEW LEASES for five years of 165 acres of Crown Land, in the ALBERT RIVER, DARLING, LACHLAN, MACLEAY, MONARO, MURRUMBIDGE, WARREGO, and WELLINGTON DISTRICTS, upon the terms and conditions agreed to by the Crown Lands Commission Act of 1861, and the regulations of 28th April, 1863.

* * * Full particulars of the boundaries of the several runs may be obtained on application at Messrs. Richardson and Wrench's Rooms, or from the GOVERNMENT OFFICE, No. 318, of Thursday, 22nd December, 1870, and a detailed list of the names, areas, and upset rates of the runs will appear in SATURDAY'S HERALD.

The special attention of intending purchasers is directed to the conditions published in the GOVERNMENT GAZETTE under which these leases will be sold.

UNRESERVED SALE.

TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.

CITY FREEHOLDS.

Preliminary Notice.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on **FRIDAY, 20th February, at 11 o'clock.**

RILEY-STREET, SERRY HILLS.

TWO HOUSES, Nos. 304 and 306, between ALBION and FITZROY STREETS.

Annual rental £100 per annum.

